A.—Sri T. SUBRAMANYA (Minister for Development and Local Self-Government).—

(*a*) Yes.

(*b*) Out of the four bore wells sanctioned, three have been comp'eted and the 4th bore-well is under progress.

(*c*) The estimate amount is Rs. 16,800 for sinking four bore-wells.

It was planned to complete all the bore-wells before the onset of monsoon. The 4th bore-well will be taken up within a short time at the site shown by the Municipal President.

UNAUTHORISED CULTIVATORS IN THE TALUKS OF SAGAR AND SORAB

Q.—118. Sri D. MOOKAPPA (Sagar).—

Will the Government be p'eased to state:—

(*a*) the number of unauthorised cultivators in the Taluks of Sagar and Sorab, according to the Revenue Demand for the year 1960-61 (Talukwise figures may be furnished);

(*b*) the amount of T. T. Fine levied in respect of unauthorised cultivation in the above taluks (Talukwise figures may be furnished);

(*c*) the number of cultivators out of the above, who are landless tenants (Ta ukwise figures may be furnished) ?

A.—Sri KADIDAL MANJAPPA (Minister for Revenue).—

	Sagar	*Sorab*
(*a*)	1,500	749
(*b*)	*Rs. nP.* 11.991—25	*Rs. nP.* 7,295—53
(*c*)	About 800.	Information is not readily available. A majority of them are reported to be landless

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TAKAVI LOANS TO AGRICULTURISTS FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF IRRIGATION WELLS IN DHARWAR DISTRICT

Q.—121. Sri G. B. SHANKAR RAO (Hirekerur).—

Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(*a*) the amount al otted to Dharwar District during 1960-61 for advancing Takavi loans t› agriculturists under the liberalised rules for construction of irrigation wells;

(*b*) when and how many times the allotments were made ;

(*c*) the Talukwise distribution of the amount by the Deputy Commissioner ;

(*d*) the number of applications received by each Tahsildar in the District and the number of applicants who were sanctioned loan together with the amount of loan to each applicant

(*e*) the amount surrendered by the Tahsildars in the District on 31st March 1961 (Talukwise figures may be furnished) ?

A.—Sri KADIDAL MANJAPPA (Minister for Revenue).—

(*a*) Rs. 12,65,000.

(*b*) Twice as noted below :—

(1) Rs. 5,00,000 on 1st October 1960.

(2) Rs. 7,65,000 on 7th February 1961.

(*c*), (*d*) and (*e*) *Vide* statement appended.

SURVEY OF MINERALS IN SOME PARTS OF HIREKERUR TALUK, DHARWAR DISTRICT.

Q.—122. Sri G. B. SHANKAR RAO (Hirekerur).—

Will the Government be plased to state:—

(*a*) whether they are aware that some parts of Hirekerur Taluk in Dharwar District are rich in minerals ;

(*b*) whether it is a fact that new finds of graphite, manganese, iron and copper ores discovered in the Taluk ;

(*c*) whether they propose to undertake a detailed survey of the Taluk to explore and exploit its mineral wealth ?

A.—Sri K. F. PATIL (Minister for State Transport, Mining and Food).—

(*a*) Some minerals exist in this area. Detailed investigations would be required to assess their grades and estimated quantity.

(*b*) Yes.

(*c*) The work of survey will be taken up under the routine programme of the Dharwar Division Office.